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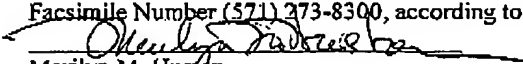
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Dear Sirs and Mesdames:

In response to the Restriction and Election of Species Requirement of 11/17/2005, Applicants respectfully request examination on the basis of the group 1 and identified species herein, with traverse. Applicants respectfully petition for a 2 month extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(b) with authorization hereby for the Commissioner to deduct the 2 month extension fee, and any other necessary fees, from Deposit Account No. 50-1922. Please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.